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**Bill Number:** H. 3357 Signed by Governor on March 24, 2020

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Subject: Vehicle Registration, Private Passenger-Carrying Vehicle

Requestor: House of Representatives

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Impact Date: November 20, 2020

## **Fiscal Impact Summary**

This bill will increase General Fund expenditures of the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) by \$20,460 to develop an application that adds a deaf or hard-of-hearing notation to motor vehicle registrations.

# **Explanation of Fiscal Impact**

## Signed by Governor on March 24, 2020 State Expenditure

This bill allows DMV to add a notation to a private passenger-carrying motor vehicle registration to indicate to law enforcement that the driver may be deaf or hard of hearing. DMV indicates that all work related to adding a notation to a vehicle registration will be performed by contractors supporting DMV application development at a rate of \$110 per hour. The agency estimates the following person-hours are needed to complete this project: 16 hours to define where and how to capture the vehicle notification attributes in the current system, 8 hours for database updates, and 16 hours for technical specifications. In addition, approximately 120 hours are needed for development, 20 hours are needed for testing, and 6 hours are needed for deployment and coordination with Law Enforcement.

In total, DMV estimates the need for 186 person-hours to complete this project. At a rate of \$110 per hour, adding the notation to a private passenger-carrying motor vehicle registration will increase General Fund expenditures by \$20,460.

#### **State Revenue**

N/A

**Local Expenditure** 

N/A

Local Revenue

N/A

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